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Harold Bruce

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DECISION ON PETITION

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed December 9, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-cited application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner to the non-final Office action mailed August 11, 2004, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three (3) months. No extension of time pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a) was obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on November 12, 2004. A Notice of Abandonment was mailed on March 18, 2005.

The amendment filed December 9, 2005, is noted and made of record.

The application is being forwarded to Technology Center 3600, GAU 3617 for further processing.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.

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